

9 26. A device according to Claim <sup>4</sup>21 comprising a pair of handles located on opposite sides thereof to facilitate use of said device.

#### **REMARKS**

Claims 14 through 26 currently appear in the application.

The Examiner is thanked for the courtesy of the telephone interview granted applicant's attorney. During the interview the structure and function of the invention were discussed as well as the wording of the claims. The Examiner indicated that patentable subject matter appears in the application and that if the structural features providing this patentable subject matter were to be more appropriately reflected in the claims, the application would be placed in condition for allowance.

More specifically, the Examiner referred to portions of the specification wherein there is described the curved surface extending continuously from the upper edge 16 to the front edge 20 and which includes the upper convex section 26 and the lower concave section 28.

The Examiner indicated that this structure distinguished the present invention from the prior art and contained patentable subject matter.

The claims in the application have been rewritten in view of the results of the interview with the Examiner and it is believed that, in their present form, they

reflect the result of the interview and, consequently, contain patentable subject matter.

Thus, it is respectfully submitted that the present amendment places the application in condition for allowance and, accordingly, entry of the present amendment and allowance of the application is hereby respectfully solicited.

It is respectfully suggested that should the Examiner require any further action from applicant, applicant's attorney be contacted at the phone number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted



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